

We're back!

Our CSHCS staff members were working on COVID related activities this past year. We are happy to announce that we are back to scheduling our yearly Plan of Care meetings with you! These meetings can be scheduled as a home visit, at the health department or over the telephone. If you schedule to meet in person, please consider:

- ⇒ Wearing a mask if you are unvaccinated
 - ⇒ Rescheduling if you or another household member is sick
 - ⇒ Consider meeting outside if the weather is nice
- Your CSHCS staff will be contacting you soon.

COVID-19 Vaccination

If you are interested in the COVID-19 vaccination for you or your child (ages 12 and up) please contact your primary care physician, specialist provider, local hospital or pharmacy to schedule. You can also call the Health Department 832-6673 for more information on where to get a Pfizer vaccine

The Midland County Health Department is currently offering (Moderna and J&J) walk in vaccination clinics on Tuesday's from 10-4 for those 18 and over. There is no out of pocket expense for this vaccination however, we do ask that you bring your insurance card.

Transition: What does it mean and why is it important?

When we hear "transition" we often think of change. For CSHCS and our families it is the changes that will occur as their loved ones become teenagers, then adults. Your CSHCS care coordinator wants to help your family make this transition as smooth as possible.

There are many things to consider for any individual, but for someone with special health care needs there may be some extra steps to take. We encourage starting this transition as early as age 12 or 13. It is important as children get older that they start becoming aware of their health care needs, and participating with their care givers if they are able.

"Transition" can include a variety of topics. We want families to be prepared to help their loved one with as much as possible. You will hear your care coordinator ask about Transition at every Plan of Care meeting. We believe it is important every family feels supported in helping their young adult make the steps to the most independent life possible. For helpful links see www.gottransition.org and www.michiganallianceforfamilies.org Click on transition to adulthood



CSHCS strives to enable individual's with special health care needs to have improved health outcomes and an enhanced quality of life through the appropriate use of the CSHCS system of care

Children's Special



Health Care Services



Spray Parks in Midland County!

The Gerstacker Spray Park is located at 100 Ashman, along the Rail Trail near the Farmer's Market. The Gerstacker Spray Park is open June 1st and closes October 1st and operates daily from dawn 'til dusk during the summer months.

Longview Spray Park is located at 337 Lemke Street near Longview Elementary School. The Longview Spray Park is open June 1st and closes October 1st and operates daily from dawn 'til dusk during the summer months. The spray will operate from 3pm until dusk when school is in session.

Lee Township Spray Park is located at the Lee Township Park on South Nine Mile near Prairie road across from the township's fire station. This spray park is open from 11am to 7pm, seven days per week from June 1st until September 1st.

Throne Park is located at 201 Revere St, between Main and Eastman Rd. Throne Park is an interactive learning play area along with a splash pad. The park is fenced and gated for younger children and is open mid- May through October; weather permitting.

Mileage Reimbursement

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Family Phone Line

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www.michigan.gov/CSHCS

Health Plans

McLaren 888-327-0671

Meridian 888-437-0606

Molina 888-898-7969

United Healthcare 800-903-5253

DID YOU KNOW??

The CSHCS mileage reimbursement increased to .58 cents a mile! To receive reimbursement, please call us *prior* to your appointment and we will send you the paperwork.

If you have a Medicaid Health Plan, please contact your health plan for assistance. If you have straight/regular Medicaid, please contact DHHS to request reimbursement.

If you are not sure who to contact, please contact us and we will help you!

